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## SUBJECT.

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To the Dy. Commr. of Madras District  
" The Dy. Commr. of other Districts  
" The Comptroller

States that Govt. observe that no action taken by the Dy.  
Commr. was wrong & that no action of Mr. Sparks,  
being also wrong, cannot be taken as a proper  
precedent in such a matter that the provisions of  
the Civil Account Code should be kept in  
view & strictly enforced.

Mysore fort  
Office of the Dewan of Mysore.  
Genl & Rev. Secretariat  
File No. (if any)

## Office Note.

### Directions.

No., date and purpose of receipts to be entered in red, and office note in black ink in order of dates.—To be written only on one side, and inside the line of margin.

Branch Revenue.

### Subject

Letter No. 695 of 24 May 1903 from the Dy. Commr. Kasar District - re deposit of Valuable Jewellery of Mr. E. H. Leslie in the Koppa Taluk Treasury.

On May last Mr. E. H. Leslie of his own Estate, Koppa requested the Dy. Commr. for permission to put a box containing some Jewellery in the "Strong room" in the Koppa Taluk Office.

The Dy. Commr. informed the gentleman that, <sup>under</sup> the existing rules, no private property could be lodged in the Taluk Treasury, the only exception being in the case of valuables belonging to persons asked to evacuate their houses on account of plague.

Mr. Leslie informed the Dy. Commr. that Mr. Sparks, when Dy. Commr. of that District used to allow him to keep these articles in the Taluk Treasury and requested him that, as he had to leave the District every morning owing to ill-health, orders might be issued for the valuables being placed in safe custody.

The Dy. Commr. has on the grounds urged by him issued orders to the Amildar to receive the box and keep it in strictest security in the matter.

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 of the post. The order is the order is the order  
 will be in the order

- Mr Secretary  
 25/7/03

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Abstract - do -

and forward to H. H. the Maharaja

The file containing Kadur Dy. order. Letter No. 379  
of 9<sup>th</sup> January 1903 soliciting orders as to whether he may  
receive boxes containing jewellery etc. belonging to  
private persons and deposit them in Treasuries for  
safe custody is also put up with this for orders.

Submitted with authority requesting the Comptroller to return  
the certain enclosure  
21-8-03

Since the draft of  
them has met this  
to the Secretary for  
orders. 21/8/03

W. H. Lee

Subd per orders

28/8/03

28/8/03

Subd to the Dewan

I am of the humble opinion that  
the Dy. Commr's action in receiving into the  
Treasury the box of valuables belonging  
to Mr. Revler was wrong. If Mr. Sparks  
allowed such procedure he was also  
wrong. If this is allowed in the  
case of one planter, it will have  
to be allowed to others also.

The orders to be passed in  
this case may be communicated  
to all Dy. Commrs. 31/8/03

on 29<sup>th</sup>  
I agree  
in the  
draft  
accordingly

and  
3.18.03

4/9/03

B.K.  
7/9/03

fair copy - Subd to Secy.  
8/9/03

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1-9-03

sub mitted to the Dewan,  
with draft -

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8/9/03

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8.9.03

R. 4100.  
190-2/13-0-1  
From *McDonnell Commission*  
*Kadun District*  
To *The Secretary to Govt.*  
*Genl & Res: Departments*

Dated 21<sup>st</sup> May 1903.

Despatched 25<sup>th</sup>

Received

General No. 695  
No.

Gen. In  
107 of 1902-03  
Serial No. 1

Enclosure No 1.

Soliciting instructions in  
the matter of depositing a  
box of valuable heirlooms by  
one Mr E. W. Leslie in the  
Kopka Taluk Treasury.

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Kinkles  
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M. H.

Chikmagalur, 24<sup>th</sup> May 1903.

From

M. Narain Rao, Esq:

Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District

To

H. V. Nanjundayya Esq M. A., B. L

Secretary to the Govt. of Mysore

Gen. Adm. Department.

Sir,

I have the honor to forward herewith  
Copy of the marginally noted correspondence  
regarding Mr. E. R. Leslie's desire to deposit  
a box of his valuable heirlooms in the  
Koppa Taluk Treasury for safe custody,  
and to request the favor of instructions  
in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedt. Servant,

Mr Narain Rao

Deputy Commissioner,

Kadur District

\* From Mr. E. R. Leslie 27/19<sup>th</sup> May 1903  
To — 50 — 27/21<sup>st</sup> do—  
From — 50 — 27/22<sup>d</sup> do—  
To — 50 — 27/24<sup>th</sup> do—

✓  
Kalsapam Estate, Koppa  
19<sup>th</sup> May 1903.

The Deputy Commissioner,  
Kadur District

Dear Sir,

You will oblige by granting  
me leave to put a box containing some  
heirlooms in the "strong room" in the  
Koppa Cutcherry and advising the  
Amildar of the same.

Yours &c.

Sof E. N. Leslie

S.D. Chikmagalur, 21<sup>st</sup> May 1903.

To

E. N. Leslie, Esq:

Kalsapam Estate,

Koppa

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 19<sup>th</sup>  
instant, I regret to state that, under  
the existing rules, no private property

Can be lodged in the Tahuk Treasury - the only exception being in the case of valuables belonging to persons who have been asked to evacuate their houses on account of plague

Yours &c

To/ Mr. Narain Rao.

Katsapur Estate, Koppa.

22<sup>d</sup> May 1903

The Deputy Commissioner

Kadur District

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 21<sup>st</sup> instant. I am surprised to learn that you are unable to allow me to lodge my heirlooms in the Koppa Treasury, as Mr. Sparkes, when Deputy Commissioner of this District, always gave me permission to lodge these said articles in the safe custody of the Tahuk

Treasury. I shall be very much obliged if you will grant me this request as I am obliged owing to ill-health to leave this District every monsoon and therefore would like to know these valuables were in safe custody.

Yours &c  
S. N. Leslie

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Chikmagalur, 24<sup>th</sup> May 1903.

No

From  
Mr. Narain Rao, Esq  
Deputy Commissioner  
Kadur District  
To  
S. N. Leslie, Esq.  
Kalsapur Estate,  
Koppa  
Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 22<sup>nd</sup> instant, I have the honor to state that as you say that Mr. Sparkes had always given you permission

to lodge your valuable heirlooms at  
the Koppa Taluk Treasury, I have  
issued orders to the Amildar to receive  
the box you may send him under  
your seal, pending the sanction of  
Government to whom I have made  
a reference on the subject.

I have &c

Sd/ M. Karani Rao

Deputy Commissioner

Karur District

Copies

M. Karani Rao

Deputy Commissioner

Amf

Karur District

To

The Comptroller  
Mysore Fort

Dated 31 - 7 - 03  
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279 of 31-7-03.  
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Serial No 2.

To be obligingly returned

In forwarding herewith copy  
of letter no. 595 of the 24<sup>th</sup> May last from  
the Dy. Commr, Madras District, together with  
its Enclosures Solicitation in instructions  
in the matter of depositing a box of  
Valuable time books by Mr. E. N. Leslie  
of Kalasapur Estate, Koppa, in the  
Public Treasury at Koppa, has the  
honor to request that ~~the Comptroller may~~  
enough to ~~inform~~ <sup>State</sup> whether ~~the~~  
~~any special order is or what per-~~  
~~mission to copy the above orders in~~  
~~the State Treasury after the same~~  
~~can be printed~~, and also to favor post  
with his views in the matter ~~there~~  
~~there are no such orders.~~

the action taken  
by the Dy Commr  
is supported  
by any rule  
or order

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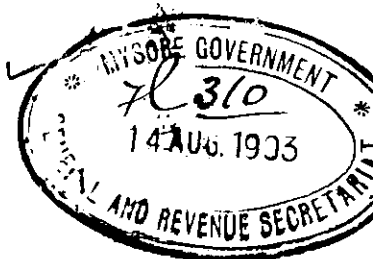
B.O.

25/7/03  
Comp. completed  
29/7/03.

Secretary

.....DEPARTMENT.

1903



From

THE COMPTROLLER,  
MYSORE GOVT.

To

~~THE~~ SECY. TO GOVT. OF MYSORE,

of Revenue Dept.

Cpu Fin 1078  
1902-3

Serial no. 3.

Dated

Despatched

13-8-03

Received

No. 930

JADG No 296

## SUBJECT MATTER.

States that the Code nowhere permits the receipt by Treasuries for safe custody the property being a box of heirlooms belonging to one Leslie, <sup>a private individual</sup> to be kept in the Koppa Taluk Treasury

Ref  
in 8103

MJCPS-23.3.12-500

Ref put up

18/8

C. L. S.

ho 930  
- 296

Treasury & Account.....DEPARTMENT. Gr II

OFFICE OF THE

COMPTROLLER, GOVT. OF MYSORE,

BANGALORE, 12th August 1903.  
13.

From

E. R. SUBRAYER, Esq.,

COMPTROLLER, GOVT. OF MYSORE,

To H. V. Srinivasiah Esq. M.A. M.L.

THE SECRETARY TO THE GOVT. OF MYSORE,

Genl & Rec DEPT. S.

SIR,

With reference to your docket No H 279 dated 31st July 1903, I have the honor to state that the action of the Deputy Commissioner Madur District in the matter of permitting a box of heirlooms belonging to Mr. <sup>Lealie</sup> ~~Lealie~~ a coffee planter to be kept in safe custody in the Koppa Taluk Treasury is not contemplated by Article 2 of the Civil Account Code which only permits departmental Cash Chests - being lodged in the Treasury, as also the receipt of bullion, jewellery and other valuables coming in to the hand of a Government officer in his official capacity at the discretion of the District officer

officer. The code nowhere permits the receipt ~~for custody~~ by Treasuries for safe custody the property of private individuals.

In this Office Circular No 1779 of <sup>November 1892</sup> 15<sup>th</sup>, issued under the authority of Govt. pro. No <sup>6193-202</sup> ~~RE 185-92~~ of 31<sup>st</sup>. <sup>October 1892</sup> Treasuries District and Taluq. were directed to receive for safe custody, custody valuables belonging to religious institutions.

The State Hugur Treasury was also specially directed: in Govt. pro. No 3019 <sup>It 304</sup> of 19<sup>th</sup> October 1898 to receive a box of silver plate belonging to Mr. S. K. Fraser the late Tutor and Governor to H. H. the Maharaja. The enclosures of your letter are returned as desired.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

W. M. Brown  
Comptroller  
A. D.

not recd.

Progs. of the Govt. of H. H. the Maharaja  
of Mysore.

File No. (if any) and its date—

Read :

Letter No. 695 of 24 May 1903 from  
the Dy. Commr. Kadur District, soliciting  
instructions as regards the request of Mr. E. H.  
Leslie of the Kalsapur Estate, Koppa Taluk,  
for leave to put a box containing some heir-  
looms in the "Strong room" of the Taluk Treasury  
for safe custody.

Correspondence ending with letter No.  
230 of 13 August 1903 from the Commr.,  
Mysore Dist., reporting that the local no-  
where permits the receipt of such boxes by  
Treasuries for safe custody.

Order: -

In reply to Mr. Leslie's request  
as above the Dy. Commr. stated that under  
the existing rules no private property  
could be lodged in the Taluk Treasury.  
Mr. Leslie thereupon informed the Dy.  
Commr. that Mr. Sparkes when Dy.  
Commr. of that Dist. used to allow him  
to lodge these articles in the Taluk  
Treasury and requested him that,  
as he had to leave the District early

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monsoon on account of ill health, or  
might be issued for the Valuables being  
placed in safe custody. In this, the Dy.  
Commr. issued orders to the Amildar to  
receive the box, pending the sanction  
of Govt.

The Comptroller, who was asked whether  
the action taken by the Dy. Commr. was  
supported by any rule or order, states  
that the action of the Dy. Commr. in the matter  
is not contemplated by Article 2 of the Civil  
Account Code, which only permits depart-  
mental cash chests being kept in the Treasury,  
as also receipt of bullion, jewellery and  
other Valuables coming into the hands of  
a Govt. officer in his official capacity,  
at the discretion of the District Officer and  
that the Code nowhere permits the receipt  
by Treasuries for safe custody the property  
of private individuals.

Govt. observe that the action taken by  
the present Dy. Commr. was wrong. ~~If Govt.~~ <sup>being also wrong</sup>  
~~Sparks allowed such procedure he was~~ <sup>cannot</sup> be taken as a  
~~also wrong~~ <sup>proper precedent in such</sup>  
The provisions of the Civil Account <sup>a matter.</sup>  
Code should be kept in view and strictly  
enforced.

VL  
8/9/03

Secretary 10/9/03

recd  
9. 18.03

2. The Dy. Commr. Kandar Dist.  
in Dy. Comrs of other Distts.  
Comptroller - Mysore Fort.

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11/9/03

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12/9/03